

Commencement of Union High School Graduates May 21st

The Sandy Union High School graduating class is composed of fifty three members this year. And the record of the members of the class of '43 will stand for many years as a mark to be attained by their successors. The four year history of these young men and women, as disclosed in their class history, is a matter for which they as a class, and Sandy as a community may well be proud. Much credit is due to their successful completion of their course, but honor is also due to their Principal G. D. Orr, for his steadfast interest and comprehension of the problems of the education of our coming citizens.

The officers of the graduating class are as follows:

Carl Bell served as president, Keith Schneider vice president, Lois Hemmy Secretary, Hellen Dollowitch Treasurer, Donald Dodd Sargent-at-arms, and Miss Helen Bruinsma, Class Advisor.

Baccalaureate services will be held this Sunday evening at the Sandy High School Auditorium at 8 p.m. with Reverend Hafley officiating.

Commencement exercises will be held Friday night, May 21 at 8 p.m. at the Sandy High Auditorium. Dr. Daniel Polding representing the Oregon State Board of Higher Education will give the Graduating Address and Ed F. Bruns will present the diplomas.

Reserved seat tickets will be divided among the graduating class.

Class flower Red Rose bud. Class motto Onward never backward ever.

Class colors Blue and Gold.

Pastor - Evangelist Conducts Special Services in Sandy

Revs. B. V. and Kathern Seals, of the Evangelistic Center in Seattle, are now holding special meetings in the Sandy Community church. The sermon topic for tonight (Thursday) will be "The Friend of Sinners." Friday evening Rev. Kathern Seals will be the speaker, using as her subject "God and the Sinner." There will be no service Saturday evening, and the concluding service of the series will be at eleven o'clock on Sunday morning.

No services will be held at the Community church on Sunday evening due to the High School Baccalaureate service at eight o'clock, to which the entire community is cordially invited. "Is the Young Man Safe" will be the topic of the sermon preached at that service by Rev. J. C. Hafley at that time.

Large New Incubator Recently Installed on Sandstrom Ranch

The C. J. Sandstrom Turkey Ranch which is located about two miles south of Sandy has installed a new Robins Incubator. The model purchased has two separate incubating compartments and one for hatching. The capacity of this unit is listed at 31,440 eggs. Mr. Sandstrom is also using at the present time an incubator having a capacity of 10,500 eggs.

All of the ranch's hatching equipment is operated by electricity and is fully automatic, turning out a new hatching every four weeks.

The Sandstroms came to this community about nine years ago. They started raising turkeys at that time but did not enter the commercial field until two years ago. The ranch boasts a flock of 500 choice hens from which all the eggs used in the hatchery are secured, thus assuring the many customers of an extra high grade quality of poult.

This year they have hatched over 3,000 chickens for fryers and are now working on their orders for young turkeys. The present list of orders will keep the equipment busy until the beginning of July.

Donations in Order For Civic Project

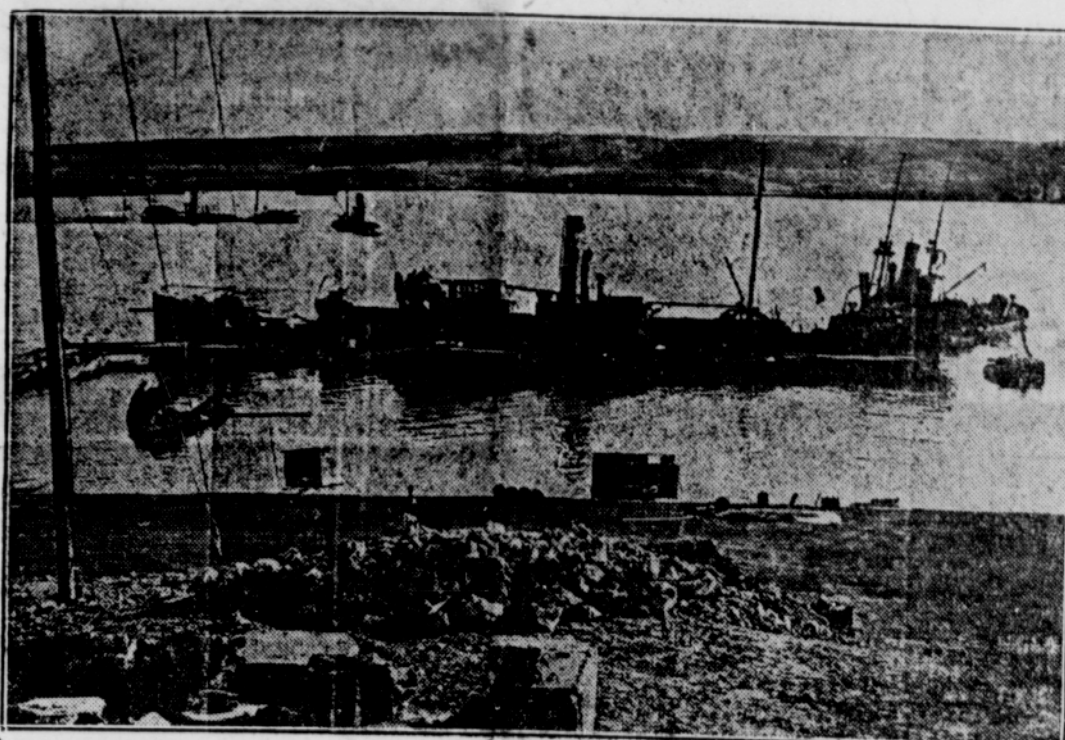
The Sandy Rural fire Commission is purchasing a respirator and inhaler as part of their first aid equipment for Sandy and the Communities.

Those donors for new equipment so far are: H. E. Leash, Sandy Volunteer Firemen, Sandy Rural Fire Commission, Sandy Chamber of Commerce, Sandy Grange, Sandy State Guard, Sandy Boy Scouts, Joe Yoerger and Bob Smith. Other donations would be appreciated as it is for a most worthy cause. The price of one of these units is between \$300 and \$400.

The Rural Fire Commission has appointed Leo McGlade, Bob Smith and Lyle Seaman to receive the necessary finances.

Government Needs Men and Women for Aircraft Servicing

The U. S. Government is announcing the need of trained personnel in the aviation industry for the maintenance of equipment. Individuals will be paid at the rate of \$100 per month for the first three months of their training period. After that time, the pay (Continued on page four)



WRECKAGE OF AXIS SHIPPING—This scene is characteristic of the ports of North Africa where shipping lies half submerged beside broken quays following the Allied attack. Stones in the foreground are all that remain of store buildings which held supplies for Rommel's army.

OPA Establishes New U.S. Consumer Grades for Eggs

Some modifications of federal grades for eggs sold through retail channels have been made by the OPA in placing permanent price ceilings on market eggs.

Grades provided for eggs sold at retail are AA, A, B, C, or assorted eggs. Assorted eggs are those which are edible but ungraded and which have a new weight of not less than 43 pounds per case and contain not more than 20% of dirty and unclean eggs. These are required to be marked assorted or ungraded eggs and sold at grade C prices.

All eggs sold through retail channels with the exception of AA grade may be graded by the producer, wholesaler, or retailer in compliance with new U.S. consumer standards, while any eggs sold as AA must have been inspected by a licensed federal inspector. All must be plainly marked as to grade and size.

The five sizes provided under the OPA classification are jumbo, extra large, large, medium, and small. The minimum net weights per dozen of these are, respectively, 28 ounces, 26 ounces, 24 ounces, 21 ounces, and 18 ounces. Some variation of individual eggs is allowed within these total weights. Thus, for the different grades individual eggs may be included which by the dozen would weigh not less than 27, 25, 23, 20 and 15 ounces.

County Agent Inskeep has further details on egg ceiling prices and the new U.S. consumer egg grades, or this information may be obtained direct from the poultry department at Oregon State College.

Republican Club to Hold Victory Dinner

The Clackamas Chapter, Oregon Republican club, will hold a Victory dinner at the Congregational Church in Oregon City, on Tuesday, May 18, at 6:30 p.m., according to an announcement by J. G. Kassner, president.

The principal speaker for the dinner will be Frank J. Loneragan, Portland attorney, Governor Snell, State Secretary Farrell, and State Treasurer Scott will be present, as well as delegations from other Republican clubs in the state. County legislators are also expected to attend.

Toastmaster Glenn Jack will introduce distinguished guests who are present, and direct a brief but interesting program.

All Republicans are welcome whether they are members of the Republican club or not. Tickets are \$1 each, and are on sale now in Oregon City, or may be purchased at the door.

Think Things

Winter lingering, chills the lap of May. —Goldsmith

Who seeks a faultless friend, rests friendless. —Turkish Proverb

Nor is it always in the most distinguished achievements that men's virtues or vices may be best discerned; but very often an action of small note, a short saying, or a jest, shall distinguish a person's real character more than the greatest steeple, or the most important battles. —Plutarch

A polite man is one who listens with interest to things he knows all about, when they are told him by a person who knows nothing about them. —DeMorney

The eyes of other people are the eyes that ruin us. If all but myself were blind, I should want neither fine clothes, fine houses, nor fine furniture. —Franklin

I.O.O.F. Convention Attended by Sandy Lodge Members

Clackamas County Odd Fellows and Rebekahs held their 46th semi-annual convention at Oswego, on Saturday, May 1st, with Oswego Lodge No. 93 and Dena Rebekah Lodge No. 71 as hosts.

At the Rebekah session the Sandy Rebekahs who were represented by ten members, put on a competitive stunt "The Salad Bowl" that carried away the first prize.

The Convention group will sponsor Sunday, June 27th, at the Geo. A. White service center, in Portland.

The next convention will be held at Clackamas the second Saturday in November.

Among the officers who were in charge of affairs at the Convention were Henry Helms, President of the I.O.O.F. body; Georgia Gunderson, Treasurer and Ethel Butler, Chaplain of the Rebekah assembly.

Hearing on Hunting Regulations June 12

The Oregon State Game Commission will meet at ten o'clock, Saturday morning, June 12, at its offices in 616 Oregon Building, Portland, for the purpose of holding a public hearing and making findings relative to the 1943 hunting regulations as specified by law.

Consideration will be given at that time to seasons, bag limits and other regulations governing the taking of big game, game birds and fur-bearing animals.

Home Extension Committee Elects County Officers

The Clackamas County Committee that serves as an advisory board to the home extension agent, held its last meeting of the year on last Monday, and elected the following officers: Chairman Mrs. G. Henderson of the Stafford unit; Vice Chairman, Mrs. George Feathers of the Damascus unit; Secretary Mrs. L. E. Carlisle of Oak Grove; and Treasurer, Mrs. John Dawson of Redland.

Mrs. F. E. Lucas of Park Place was welcomed as the newly appointed member to complete the unexpired term of Mrs. George Ten Eyck. Mrs. D. W. Cutsforth of Sandy was re-elected to serve a term of one year and Mrs. Carlisle was re-elected for a three year term.

Members of this county committee are selected from recommended candidates given by the organized extension units of the county. The committee members hold an election of new members each year and terms of membership vary in length from one year to three years. This committee regularly meets with Helen Allen, home demonstration agent to assist with the planning and administration of the countywide program for rural home makers.

Clover Experiment Looks Promising

In line with the idea of post war planning new seed crops may soon appear on Clackamas County farms if experiments now being conducted by Frank Roesch and E. L. Stuwé of Needy reach a successful conclusion. These two farmers are growing hardy New York wild white clover for seed production, using seed secured by County Agent J. J. Inskeep from Cornell University.

New York and New England dairymen are in the market for almost unlimited quantities of white clover seed provided such seed grown from types of clover is suitable for climatic conditions found in these states. A certification program will assure buyers that the original seed strain is offered for sale.

Roesch and Stuwé report that the June planted clover which they are attempting to grow, come thru the winter in excellent condition. Both growers will secure stands of bees which are necessary for pollinizing white clover blossoms.

In addition to growing white clover seed, Stuwé is experimenting with June planted non-irrigated ladino clover which is in excellent condition at this time.

Other growers are planning experiments with the New York strain of broadleaf birdsfoot trefoil or lotus corniculatus provided the shipments arrive in time for June planting.

Experts to Explain Price Program to Local Business Men

BRING YOUR QUESTIONS

The attention of every merchant, retailer of living commodities, proprietors of service outlets and all farmers, should be called to the importance of the coming meeting that is to be held in Sandy. A meeting none of these people can afford to miss.

Government Specialists will conduct a Price Clinic in the Union High School auditorium at 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 26th. They will explain the entire Price Program that is now in effect.

Bring your questions and problems. They will be answered by men who are experts in their various fields.

After a general assembly, the different groups will gather in separate rooms to discuss their particular problems with a specialist in that line.

This is your opportunity to learn how you may most effectively comply with regulations and help put over this big program on Price Stabilization.

More About Oregon

EMIGRATION OF 1842.

Eighteen wagons, their white tops glistening in the sun, rolled out of Independence, Missouri, in May 1842, headed for the Oregon Country. One hundred and twelve men, women and children, two hundred head of livestock and a number of dogs, made up the party. Dr. Elijah White was chosen as captain. But the doctor's reign as captain was short, for he made himself extremely unpopular by issuing a decree ordering all dogs shot. His excuse was that they might go mad and bite some person or animal. After about 20 of the family pets had been killed, some of the men declared they would kill the man who shot their dogs and that stopped the dog-killing.

Lansford Hastings was the successor of White as captain which meant a division of the party. At Fort Laramie, the party was joined by Francis Mathieu and several French-Canadians. When a short distance from the Fort, the party met Jim Bridger and Thomas Fitzpatrick, famous Mountain Men. Dr. White persuaded Fitzpatrick to act as guide to the train as far as Fort Hall. That was a fortunate incident for Fitzpatrick was experienced in Indian lore and saved the company from serious trouble with several bands of Sioux and Crow Indians which they encountered. Several wagons were abandoned at Fort Laramie (continued on page 4)

Graduation of Dover Kelso and Sandy 8th Grades May 20th

The Sandy Grade School Graduation exercises will be held on the evening of Thursday, May 20. The exercises in the local school will include graduates from the Dover school, the Kelso school, and the Sandy Grade School.

The speaker of the evening will be Chaplain C. E. Coles, Ph. D. from the Hill Military Academy in Portland. His message will be entitled "Looking Forward." Cecil Duke will officiate with the presenting of the diplomas.

Dover Class Colors: Red-Violet and Gold. Class Motto: Onward not Backward.

Pupils of the class graduating include the following:

BERT KARNES
JEAN CRAFT
MELVIN UPDEGRAVE
MALCOLM WOODLE

Kelso Class Flower: Cecil Brunner Rose. Colors: Pink and green. Class Motto: Onward to Victory.

Pupils of the class graduating include the following:
CLAIRE LOIS PETERSON
ROBERT JAMES ALLEN

Sandy Class Flower: Rose. Class Colors: Red and Blue. Class Motto: Not at the top, but climbing.

Pupils of the class graduating (Continued on page four)

Local Woman's Club Holds Election

The Sandy Woman's Club met at the Club Hall on Thursday of last week for an all day meeting, at which time the members quitted on a quilt. A delicious pot-luck dinner was enjoyed at noon by the fifteen people present. In the afternoon a short business session was held, with Mrs. R. S. Smith, vice-president, in charge. At that time election of officers was held, the result of the election being as follows:

Mrs. E. F. Bruns, president; Mrs. Alfred Meinig, vice-president; Mrs. Oscar Gunderson, secretary; Mrs. Lewis Hall, treasurer; and Mrs. Sylvester Hall, Mrs. Bert Boeve, and Mrs. Willard Bosholtz having been selected as Trustees.

The newly elected officers will be installed at the June meeting. This meeting will also be an all-day affair for the purpose of finishing the quilt. There will be a pot-luck lunch at noon.

The Club is sponsoring another card party on Saturday evening, June 5th. All the members will help with refreshments, as this is to be a no-host affair.



MACHINE GUNNERS IN NEW GUINEA—The Japs finally have admitted the loss of Buna, New Guinea, where American and Australian task forces annihilated 15,000 of the enemy. In this victory the 32nd United States Division covered itself with glory. This task force was built up around a former American National Guard division drawn from Wisconsin and Michigan, but now comprising officers and enlisted men from 44 states. As a result of their heroism in action 55 citations for Distinguished Service Crosses were awarded. Manning this machine gun are, left to right: Pvt. Lawrence L. Leishman, Peoria, Ill.; Corp. Rodney G. Reiner, Manitowoc, Wis., and Pvt. Martin Denuell, Cumberland, Wis.



WAACS IN RADIO SCHOOL—Operating high frequency oscillators is part of their training at Midland Radio and Television School at Kansas City, Mo. Here are Technicians Fifth Grade Eleanor Prury, Staten Island, N. Y., (left) and Jeanette Sheets, Shaker Heights, O. They are taking the prescribed courses of the U. S. Army Signal Corps in Army radio repair and operation.